

4/A  
Shurepa  
1-23-03

PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 06753.0469



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Takao MURAKAMI et al.

Application No.: 09/982,966

Filed: October 22, 2001

For: DEVICE CONNECTION METHOD  
AND STRUCTURE THEREOF

)  
)  
) Group Art Unit: 2839  
)  
) Examiner: C. Prasad  
)  
)  
)  
)

RECEIVED  
JAN 22 2003  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action dated October 24, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE TITLE:**

Please change the title to read --METHOD AND STRUCTURE FOR  
CONNECTING AND ALIGNING ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS--

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claims 1, 3-5 and 7-8 as follows:

FINNEGAN  
HENDERSON  
FARABOW  
GARRETT &  
DUNNER LLP

1300 I Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20005  
202.408.4000  
Fax 202.408.4400  
www.finnegan.com

5.67  
B2  
1. (Amended) A connection method of a first device and a second device  
involving an electrical connection, comprising the steps of:  
providing an opening on the first device for fitting the second device into the first  
device,